

# THE DAYLIGHT STORE

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By waiting until after Easter, you will have no line to select from and will only get cut price from a price marked for such a purpose.

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The best lines in the country at low prices

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Mrs. W. S. Arnold is in Kansas City visiting her daughter, Mrs. W. N. Mills.

J. Emmett Hook, of the Rockville neighborhood was a business visitor to Butler Wednesday.

Barred Plymouth Rocks that win, lay and weigh. Won 10 firsts, 10 seconds, 11 thirds, 5 fourths, 6 fifths and 4 specials. Eggs \$2.00 per 15. Satisfaction guaranteed or eggs replaced free. Phone 172 J. W. Poffenberger, 19-1f Butler, Mo.

Roosevelt has sailed for a West Indies island to shoot wild hogs. It is too much to hope that even big success in these hog skirmishes will satisfy his thirst for gore. On his return declarations of war against Germany will again issue from Oyster Bay.

H. D. (Bud) Chambers, of East Boone township, was in Butler Wednesday morning looking after business matters and found time to make us a brief, though pleasant call. Bud is being strongly talked of as a candidate for the Democratic nomination for Sheriff, but informs us that he has not yet fully decided upon getting into the race. Besides being one of the most influential Democrats of northwestern Bates, he has a wide acquaintance throughout the county.

As the result of a difficulty between L. M. Griffith and Gus Chaney in the Oak saloon Monday night, Mr. Griffith received an ugly wound over the eye, necessitating the attendance of a physician. It is not thought the skull bone was fractured, but it is a painful injury. It was alleged that he was struck with an instrument other than the fist. This Mr. Chaney emphatically denies. It is understood that had feeling has existed between the men for some time past.—Rich Hill Review.

With the head of the nation a peace loving man free from the affliction of a heated intellect, an increased military establishment will not menace our peace and prosperity, even in these perilous times. Preparedness would not tempt Woodrow Wilson to plunge us into the present world cataclysm, nor to precipitate an unnecessary armed conflict with Mexico or any other nation. The war drums do not appeal to him. This is another reason why the people see to it there is no change of horses while we're crossing this dangerous stream.

President Wilson's modest preparedness program has been accepted by people of all parties as the wise policy. The extreme pacifist would make no preparation for defense. The extreme militarist would turn the country into a military camp and create a thirst for gore. Then with the military spirit in the ascendancy, they elect some "Roaring Pete," like a certain bellicose Oyster Bay gentleman as President, and we'd be off to the wars. The cool, calculating, conservative course advocated by Wilson appeals to the safe and sane folks of all parties and elements. That is one reason why Wilson will be invincible in the approaching campaign. His appeal is wholly devoid of weak poltroonery or heated passion and stands out conspicuously as the only safe leadership.

### For the Booze Fighter.

For the married man who cannot get along without drink the following is suggested as a means of freedom from bondage to the saloons:

Start a saloon in your own house. Be the only customer, you'll have no license to pay. Go to your wife and give her two dollars to buy a gallon of whiskey, and remember there are sixty-nine drinks in a gallon. Buy your drinks from no one but your wife, and by the time the first gallon is gone she will have eight dollars to put into the bank and two dollars to start business again. Should you live ten years and continue to buy booze from her, and then die with snakes in your boots, she will have money enough to bury you decently, educate your children, buy a house and lot, marry a decent man, and quit thinking about you entirely.—Ex.

### Stone-O'Neil.

County Treasurer John H. Stone received the announcement Monday of the marriage of his son, Dr. W. H. Stone, of Hiawatha, Kas., to Miss Grace O'Neil of that city.

Dr. Stone has a large dental practice at Hiawatha and formerly was a resident of Adrian where he has many friends who wish him a long and happy married life.

### Percival-Fisk.

Raymond F. Percival of Cole Camp, Mo., and Miss Marie Fisk of this city were united in marriage Thursday morning of last week at the home of the bride's parents on Ohio street. Rev. R. M. Talbert of the Christian church officiating.

The bride who is a charming young lady, the only daughter of Mr. and Mrs. T. W. Fisk, was reared in this city where she has always been very popular.

The groom is the son of Mr. and Mrs. H. E. Percival of Burlington, Vt., and has been until recently a student at the Missouri State Agricultural college at Columbia.

After a delicious wedding breakfast the happy couple left on the morning train for a short honeymoon after which they will be at home on a farm, which was a present from the groom's father, near Cole Camp.

The Times joins their many friends in wishing them a happy and prosperous journey through life.

### City Convention.

A mass convention of all the qualified voters, within the city, is hereby called to meet at the Court House in the city of Butler, Missouri, on Friday, March 17th, 1916, at 7:30 p. m., for the purpose of nominating candidates for all city offices, a councilman for each of the four wards of the city of Butler, and two members of the board of education, of the Butler School District, to be voted upon at the April 1916, election, and for the transaction of such other business as may properly come before said convention.

J. A. Silvers, Chairman.  
J. L. Barker, Secretary.

### One O'Clock Luncheon.

One of the most delightful social affairs of the season was the one o'clock luncheon given last Thursday by Mrs. W. W. Cannon at her home on High street.

The rooms were beautifully decorated with yellow jonquils and daffodils. In the dining room the yellow color scheme was carried out. The tables were decorated in that color and the place cards were yellow.

Miss Lelia Hulse, cousin of the hostess, and one of the most talented amateur dramatic readers of Kansas City rendered several selections which were greatly enjoyed by the forty guests present.

### Rev. S. M. Brown at Nevada.

Rev. S. M. Brown of Kansas City, noted as an author, editor, song writer and preacher, is to be here during the next two weeks and will preach at the Pine Street Baptist church and large crowds are expected to be present to hear him.

Rev. Brown has been here before on several occasions and has a number of friends here. The congregation at the Pine Street church is to be congratulated on securing this able preacher for a series of sermons and the people of the city generally are invited to hear him.—Nevada Herald.

### Women to Cause Next Great War?

New York.—The women of today will be responsible for our next war, and it will come quicker than the present war came.

This opinion was expressed by Dr. Herbert T. Morris, author and scientist, at the forum in the Park Avenue Methodist Episcopal church.

"The women of the beligerent countries," he said, "are instilling hate in the minds of their children. When they grow up they will be at each other's throats."

### THINGS WORTH KNOWING

#### To Clear a Room of Smoke.

Dash a towel in vinegar and hot water and shake it above your head while walking quickly through a smoke filled room. In a few minutes the smoke will disappear entirely.

#### Cider in Jelly.

Last fall while making jelly I got it too sweet and had no more juice. Acting on a caller's suggestion I added a little cider vinegar. It jellied at once and the flavor was not at all impaired.—From the Country Gentleman.

### Birthday Every Four Years.

Born to Mr. and Mrs. George Caruthers at their home west of town Tuesday morning a fine boy. Being born February 29, on a leap year the young man will only have a birthday every four years.

Black & Arnold Clothing Co.  
J. B. Boulware was a Kansas City visitor Sunday.

Buy your rubber boots now \$3 up, Black & Arnold.

D. E. Keller of Foster attended court in Butler one day last week.

Geo. J. Moore of Adrian was a county seat visitor Thursday of last week.

Sam Barr was a business visitor to Metz one day the latter part of the week.

Mr. and Mrs. Harve Johnson were Rich Hill visitors Tuesday afternoon.

Mrs. Wm. Fritz and little son of Rich Hill spent Sunday in this city visiting friends.

Mrs. Ora McCann spent Sunday in Rich Hill visiting her parents, Mr. and Mrs. U. Ayres.

Get your spring suit now. Be the first, Black & Arnold.

J. W. Jamison of the F. & M. Bank of Rich Hill, was a Butler visitor the last of the week.

Newton Brannock of Kansas City spent Sunday in this city visiting his father, J. R. Brannock.

Mrs. Hannah Griffith of Rich Hill was in this city on a business mission one day the last of the week.

William Doane of Kansas City was in the city the first part of the week visiting relatives and friends.

W. E. Walton, president of the Walton Trust Company, returned Monday from a trip to San Antonio, Texas.

Mrs. C. M. Leedy of Rich Hill, spent a few days in this city the first of the week visiting her son, Osborne Leedy.

A. C. Moreland, county superintendent of Schools visited the schools at Hume, Amsterdam and Merwin last week.

See a pig in the movies at the Electric Saturday afternoon, March 4th, at 2:30. Compliments of Logan-Moore Lbr. Co.

A. T. Keen, a prominent farmer of Deepwater township, was in the city the first of the week on business in the probate court.

Eastman Kodaks, films and photo supplies at Smith's Book & Stationery Store. "If it isn't an Eastman, it isn't a Kodak."

Some odds and ends at very special prices, Black & Arnold.

J. N. Barrows, Lawrence Griffith, J. R. Hales, J. W. Jamison and John D. Moore of Rich Hill were Butler visitors Thursday of last week.

Mr. and Mrs. Walton Crutsinger came down from Garden City the last of the week to visit his parents, Mr. and Mrs. J. C. Crutsinger.

Mr. and Mrs. J. J. McKee and daughter, Mrs. John Lane, who have been spending the winter in California returned home the first of the week.

Chas. W. McFarland went to Kansas City Sunday and Sunday evening played with the Shriners band, of which he is a member, at a concert.

C. N. McFarland, who has been visiting his parents, Mr. and Mrs. C. B. McFarland, has returned to Kress, Texas, where the McFarlands have a large ranch.

Mrs. S. Bentley of this city and C. H. Moore of Rich Hill were united in marriage at Rich Hill Wednesday evening, February 23, says the Rich Hill Review. They will make their home in this city.

Lewis Moore the genial editor of the Hume Border Telephone, while on his way to St. Louis to attend a meeting of Missouri editors, stopped off in Butler Thursday afternoon. We acknowledge a fraternal call.

The Co-ed number of the Crescent, a magazine published by the Ft. Scott Collegiate Institute was received at this office last week. It is well edited and well printed. E. F. Tuttle, a former employe of this office is editor.

Sam McAninch of Amoret, who is one of the bright young students of the Butler High School called at this office Friday and returned for his Saturday paper. Sam is a bright and energetic young man and is expected to be a success in his studies.

Boys clothes, Black & Arnold.

J. S. Walker and Leslie Choate made a business trip to Foster Monday.

Ike Howard is moving to the farm he recently purchased from Chas. Frank.

Prof. Stephen Smith, principal of the Harrisonville High School was a Butler visitor Tuesday.

Spring goods arriving. Come in and see them, Black & Arnold.

Prosecuting Attorney DeWitt Chastain and Elmer Silvers were in Foster Monday attending a lawsuit.

Keep coming in, Black & Arnold.

Mrs. G. A. Hemstreet and Mrs. J. M. Douglass, of Kansas City, are visiting their sister, Mrs. J. F. Ludwick.

Leslie Clinkenbeard, local superintendent of the Western Union is confined to his home with a severe attack of grip.

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Wix Ray, who has been for the last three years living on a farm in Lone Oak township, is moving to his place just east of town.

Miss Winifred Pharis who has been spending the winter in San Antonio, Texas, with her aunt, Mrs. Geo. Wilson, has returned home.

Frank Ludwick, deputy clerk of the Kansas City Court of Appeals, was in the city Sunday visiting his parents, Mr. and Mrs. J. F. Ludwick.

Died, Tuesday night, February 29, the 16 months old son of Chas. Wright, who lives southeast of town. Mr. Wright's wife died just a month ago.

Mrs. Fallon O'Byrne, who is visiting her parents, Mr. and Mrs. J. A. Trimble, spent a few days the first of the week visiting friends in Kansas City.

For sale—Eighty acres of land 5 miles southwest of Butler on Butler and Rich Hill road. For particulars write J. A. Carpenter, Brewster, Kans., R. 1. 4-1f

Last week J. B. Willard received a box of fine lettuce from his daughter, Mrs. Chester Rich, of Bunnell, Fla. The lettuce, which was fine was grown out of doors.

Mr. and Mrs. Hervey Rogers, of Peoria, Ills., who have been spending the winter in this city with Mr. Rogers' mother, Mrs. J. O. Rogers, and sister, Miss Dora, have returned to their home.

A call has been issued by the citizens City Central Committee for a mass convention to be held Friday, March 17, for the purpose of nominating candidates for the various city offices.

Mrs. J. M. Graves went to Hudson, Kansas last week and returned with her mother, Mrs. Caruthers, who had been visiting her son, Thomas Caruthers. Mrs. Caruthers' many friends will regret to learn that her health is very poor having suffered this winter from a severe attack of grip which left her very weak.

Col. Sam Walls was down from Adrian Wednesday looking after business matters and made us a pleasant call.

Mrs. M. Wiemers of near Amsterdam was in Butler Wednesday shopping and favored us with a pleasant call.

Mr. and Mrs. William Allen returned the first of the week from San Antonio, Tex., where they had spent a short honeymoon.

In sending his check for a renewal of his subscription, J. D. Black of Lompoc, Cal., says times are good out there and the prospects are that they will be better.

The play "Colorado" by Augustus Thomas, Missouri's foremost author, which will be presented at the Electric Theatre on Monday is said to be the best he ever wrote.

You remember how you enjoyed Augustus Thomas' "Alabama" and "Missouri." Next Monday night the Electric Theatre will present his latest and best play entitled, "Colorado."

The negro voters of Kansas claim that they cast 20,000 votes for the Republican ticket in that state and demand a representation on the Kansas delegation to the national convention at Chicago.

The Methodist church in Brownwood, Tex., being in debt, the ladies of the church have organized a barber's club and will shave their husbands charging the regular price which they will donate to the church. All of which may be good for the church, but it is might hard on hubby.

Mrs. Sam Levy, of St. Louis, who has been visiting her nephews, Paul and Julius Levy, left the last of the week for Pleasant Hill, where she will spend a few days visiting her niece, Mrs. Minnie Oppenheimer.

Wanted—Men who desire to earn over \$125.00 per month write us today for position as salesman; every opportunity for advancement.

Central Petroleum Co.,  
Cleveland, Ohio.

Elmer E. Sutton of Roseco, Mo., and Miss Rosa Anna S. Fennewald of Rich Hill were united in marriage Saturday, February 26, in the recorder's office in the court house, Justice of the Peace W. F. Hemstreet officiating.

Last week the Amsterdam Enterprise came out with a big special eight page edition. The Enterprise has shown marked improvement both editorially and from a mechanical standpoint since the Pattees purchased it.

The Republicans in their convention at Kansas City Monday nominated George H. Edwards, a wholesale jeweler as mayor. He is said to represent the Homer Mann wing of the party. Darius Brown, the non-partisan candidate has withdrawn. Mayor Jost was renominated by the Democrats at a city convention.

Rev. McGinty of the Pine street M. E. Church has organized a literary society as a means of entertainment for the young folks of his flock these winter evenings. Tuesday night the subject was, "Resolved, that Intellectual Preparedness is More Efficient than Social Preparedness." Elmer Jost for the negative was declared the winner.